

Should Broadband over Power Line go into effect, it will initiate the end of ham radio HF communications. With no HF frequencies, there would be no way for ham radio operators to communicate long distance in the event of an emergency. Recently, here in the state of michigan, we had an emergency: The Blackout of 2003. HF radio was used for contact between local and state officials. Do you really want to hinder the HF frequencies just so people can access networks?

If 03-104 is approved, it would be in violation of the existing FCC rules on non-interference and would be against the best interest of the public.